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Title: PRESTRAINED THIN-FILM SHAPE MEMORY ACTUATOR

USING POLYMERIC SUBSTRATES

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 25, 2008, Applicant provisionally elect Group I (Claims 1-33 drawn to a method for producing a plurality of thin film actuators), without traverse.

By this present submission, Applicant makes no admission as to the correctness of the requirement and this submission is being made solely to further prosecution to allowable subject matter.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.